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by deleting the first resolving clause thereof and substituting the following:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF  
REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That a majority of all the members of each house  
concurring, as shown by the yeas and nays entered on their journals, that the period (.)  
at the end of Article XI, Section 5, of the Constitution of Tennessee be changed to a  
comma (,) and the following new language be added:

except that the legislature may authorize a state lottery if the net  
proceeds of the lottery's revenues are allocated to provide financial assistance to  
citizens of this state to enable such citizens to attend post-secondary educational  
institutions located within this state. The excess after such allocations from such  
net proceeds from the lottery would be appropriate to:

- (1) Capital outlay projects for K-12 educational facilities; and
- (2) Early learning programs and after school programs.

Such appropriation of funds to support improvements and enhancements  
for educational programs and purposes and such net proceeds shall be used to  
supplement, not supplant, non-lottery educational resources for educational  
programs and purposes.

All other forms of lottery not authorized herein are expressly prohibited  
unless authorized by a two-thirds vote of all members elected to each house of  
the general assembly for an annual event operated for the benefit of a 501(c)(3)

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organization located in this state, as defined by the 2000 United States Tax Code or as may be amended from time to time.

A state lottery means a lottery of the type such as in operation in Georgia, Kentucky and Virginia in 2000, and the amendment to Article XI, Section 5 of the Constitution of the State of Tennessee provided for herein does not authorize games of chance associated with casinos, including, but not limited to, slot machines, roulette wheels, and the like.